

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

None of the amendments herein present new matter. The wording added to the three paragraphs of the specification is taken directly from the claims, and the amendments to the claims are intuitive and for clarification only.

With these amendments and the accompanying Terminal Disclaimer, all rejections and objections are addressed and obviated. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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